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Inventor: Steven A. Brown et al.

Dear Examiner Dooley:

Attached please find Amendment A, regarding the above-referenced case. Please give me a call if you have any questions.

Best regards,

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: **STEVEN A.
BROWN ET AL.**Serial No.: **10/803,820**Filed: **18 MARCH 2003**For: **IMPROVED RAILS FOR
SEMICONDUCTOR WAFER
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AMENDMENT AMAIL STOP – Non-Fee Amendment
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Mr. Dooley:

This Amendment is submitted in response to the Office Action dated December 19, 2005, with a shortened statutory period ending on March 19, 2006. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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